

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Described are synergistically-effective compositions consisting essentially of zinc ricinoleate or solutions thereof and one or more of the substituted monocyclic organic compounds:

1-cyclohexylethan-1-yl butyrate;
1-cyclohexylethan-1-yl acetate;
1-cyclohexylethan-1-ol;
1-(4'-methylethyl)cyclohexylethan-1-yl propionate; and/or
2'-hydroxy-1'-ethyl(2-phenoxy)acetate

and uses of same and compositions containing same for preventing and/or suppressing malodors. Also described for the purpose of application to an inanimate laminar substantially solid surface are malodor-suppressing composition-containing stick articles containing an ester-terminated polyamide or an amide-terminated polyamide structural support polymer in combination with the aforementioned synergistically-effective zinc ricinoleate-substituted monocyclic organic compound composition. Also described is a package for conveniently handling the aforementioned stick article.